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ABSTRACT

The present application describes novel 1,1-disubstituted cyclic derivatives of formula I:

$$R^{3} \xrightarrow{R^{2a}} \begin{pmatrix} Q & D & D \\ Q & Q & D \\ R^{3} & R^{2b} & A \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{S-Z} U^{a-X^{a}} Y^{a-Z^{a}}$$

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or pharmaceutically acceptable salt forms thereof, wherein ring B is a 3-8 membered non-aromatic ring consisting of: carbon atoms, 0-1 carbonyl groups, 0-1 double bonds, and from 0-2 ring heteroatoms selected from 0, N, NR², S, S(0), and S(0)₂ and the other variables are defined in the present specification, which are useful as metalloprotease and as TNF- α inhibitors.